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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

I have been a user of Windows and the IE Browser for the past three years having used Netscape prior to that.

As much as I have understood of the settlement proposed between the Department of Justice and Microsoft it seems fair and reasonable.

I am satisfied that if I over paid for Windows according to the allegations of antitrust and competitor arguments it was probably a small amount, besides I have had stability of my system and automatic recovery (Win 95, 98) that give me peace of mind.

If Microsoft has been a monopoly it has been a beneficient one to me as the consumer.

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